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STATEMENT OF CHARGES WASTEWATER SERVICE

I. RATES

In Opinion and Order No. 67446, dated January 4, 2005, the Commission approved the following rates and charges to become effective on January 4, 2004:

	Water Service Size	Minimum <u>Charge</u>	Rate per 1,000 Water <u>Usage</u>
A.	General Residential Service		
	All Sizes	-0-	\$2.73
В.	Commercial and Industrial Service		
	Car washes, Laundromats,		
	Commercial, manufacturing	-0-	\$2.67
	Hotels, Motels	-0-	\$3.58
	Restaurants	-0-	\$4.42
	Industrial Laundries	-0-	\$3.92
	Waste Haulers	-0-	\$80.00
	Restaurant Grease	-0-	\$70.00
	Treatment Plant Sludge	-0-	\$80.00
	Mud Sump Waste	-0-	\$250.00

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II. TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

In addition to all other rates and charges authorized herein, the Company shall collect from its customers all applicable sales, transaction, privilege, regulatory or other taxes and assessments as may apply now or in the future, per Rule R14-2-608(D)(5).

III. ADDITIONAL CHARGES⁹

A.	Establishment of Service per Rule R14-2-603D (new customer charge, in addition to D, I and J below)	\$20.0010
	1. If after hours	40.00
B.	Re-establishment of Service per Rule R14-2-603D (same customer, same location within 12 months)	Note ¹¹
C.	Reconnection of Service Per Rule R14-2-603D	50.00
	1. If after hours	40.00

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⁹ Additional charges authorized in Paragraph III E, F and G shall not be duplicated for dual service customers. ¹⁰ Initial monthly billing under PART THREE I to new wastewater service for homes under construction shall commence no sooner than 30, and no more than 60 days after the water meter is installed. Wastewater billing to new service at existing locations shall be pro-rated from the start of service.

¹¹ Number of months off system times the sum of the monthly minimum.

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- D. Deposit Requirement¹² per Rule R140-2-603B
 - 1. Residential customer

(2 times estimated average monthly bill)

2. Non-residential customer

(2-1/2 times estimated maximum monthly bill)

3. Deposit Interest

3.0%

E. Charge for NSF Check per Rule R14-2-608E¹³

\$20.00

F. Deferred Payment Finance Charge, per month¹⁴

1.5%

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¹² The Company does not normally require a deposit prior to the provision of service. However, if the service is not in the property owner's name, this deposit is required. Also in the event service is disconnected due to nonpayment, this deposit may be required.

¹³ This charge shall not apply if wastewater service is paid with the same NSF check used to pay for water service for which a NSF fee is charged.

¹⁴ Deferred payments for wastewater service are only available if established in connection with deferred payments for water service under PART ONE, III(I) of this tariff.

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G.	Late Payment, Per Month, per Rule R14-2-608F	1.5% 15 16
Н.	Service Calls, per hour After hours only	\$40.00 ¹⁷
I.	Service Lateral Connection Charge ¹⁸ Residential Commercial	\$500.00 Cost ¹⁹
J.	Main Extension Tariff, per Rule R14-2-606B	Cost ²⁰

¹⁵ This charge shall not apply if the customer has arranged for a Deferred Payment Plan.

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¹⁶ Bills for utility services are due and payable when rendered. Any payment not received within fifteen (15) days from the date the bill was rendered shall be considered delinquent and subject to the termination policy set forth in the Company's rate tariff. All Late Payment Charges shall be billed on the customer's next regularly scheduled billing. If the customer fails to pay the Late Payment Charge by the due date on the next billing, the customer will receive a ten (10) day termination notice. If the customer does not pay the Late Payment Charges by that date the service will be terminated. Service shall be terminated only for that service for which the customer is delinquent or is in violation of other Tariff or Rule provisions. All customers whose service is terminated for failure to pay the Late Payment Charges are subject to the Company's reconnection charges set forth in the Company's tariff.

¹⁷ For service problem found to be on Customer's side of lot line. Company will not repair problem.

¹⁸ The Company shall own the Service Lateral up to the Customer's property line. The Customer shall own the Service Lateral beyond that point. The Company shall maintain and operate the Service Lateral only from the connection to the main line in the street or right-of-way up to its interconnection with the Customer's Service Lateral at the edge of the right-of-way, beyond which maintenance is the Customer's responsibility ¹⁹ Per Sheet No. 26.

²⁰ All Main Extensions shall be completed at cost per Sheet No. 30 and shall be non-refundable Contributions-in-Aid-of-Construction.

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IV. PERMITTED COSTS

- A. Costs shall be verified by invoice.
- B. For services that are provided by the Company at cost, cost shall include labor, materials, other charges incurred, and overhead not to exceed 10 percent. However, prior to any such service being provided, the estimated cost of such service will be provided by the Company to the customer. After review of the cost estimate, the customer will pay the amount of the estimated cost to the Company.
- C. In the event that the actual cost is less than the estimated cost, the Company will refund the excess to the customer within 30 days after completion of the provision of the service or after Company's receipt of invoices, timesheets or other related documents, whichever is later.
- D. In the event the actual cost is more than the estimated cost, the Company will bill the customer for the amount due within 30 days after completion of the invoices, timesheets or other related documents, whichever is later. The amount so billed will be due and payable 30 days after the invoice date. However, if the actual amount is more than five percent (5%) greater than the total amount paid, the customer will only be required to pay five percent (5%) more than the total amount paid, unless the Company can demonstrate that the increased cost was beyond its control and could not be foreseen at the time the estimate for the total amount was made.
- E. At the customer's request, the Company shall make available to the customer all invoices, timesheets or related documents that support the cost for providing such service.

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F. Permitted costs shall include any Federal, State or local taxes that are or may be payable by the Company as a result of any tariff or contract for wastewater facilities under which the Customer advances or contributes funds or facilities to the Company.

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I. CUSTOMER DISCHARGE TO SYSTEM

A. Service Subject to Regulation

The Company provides wastewater service using treatment and collection facilities that are regulated by numerous county, state and federal Statutes and Regulations. Those Regulations include limitations as to domestic strength wastewater and the type of wastewater that may be discharged into the system by any person directly or indirectly connected to the plant.

B. Waste Limitations

The Company has established the permissible limits of concentration as domestic strength wastewater and will limit concentration for various specific substances, materials, waters, or wastes that can be accepted in the sewer system, and to specify those substances, materials, waters, or wastes that are prohibited from entering the sewer system. Each permissible limit so established shall be placed on file in the business office of the Company, with a copy filed with the Commission. No person shall discharge, or cause to be discharged, any new sources of inflow including, but not limited to, storm water, surface water, groundwater, roof runoffs, subsurface drainage, cooling water, or polluted industrial process waters into the sanitary sewer. The Company will require an affidavit from all commercial and industrial customers, and their professional engineer, stating that the wastewater discharged to the system does not exceed domestic strength.

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C. Inspection and Right of Entry

Every facility that is involved directly or indirectly with the discharge of wastewater to the Treatment Plant may be inspected by the Company as it deems necessary. These facilities shall include but not be limited to sewers; sewage pumping plants; all processes; devices and connection sewers; and all similar sewerage facilities. Inspections may be made to determine that such facilities are maintained and operated properly and are adequate to meet the provisions of these rules. Inspections may include the collection of samples. Authorized personnel of the Company shall be provided immediate access to all of the above facilities or to other facilities directly or indirectly connected to the Treatment Plant at all reasonable times including those occasioned by emergency conditions. permanent or temporary obstruction to easy access to the user's facility to be inspected shall promptly be removed by the facility user or owner at the written or verbal request of the Company and shall not be replaced. No person shall interfere with, delay, resist or refuse entrance to an authorized Company representative attempting to inspect any facility involved directly or indirectly with a discharge of wastewater to the Treatment Plant. Adequate identification shall be provided by the Company for all inspectors and other authorized personnel and these persons shall identify themselves when entering any property for inspection purposes or when inspecting the work of any contractor.

All transient motor homes, travel trailers and other units containing holding tanks must arrive at the Company's service area in an empty condition. Inspection will

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be required of said units prior to their being allowed to hookup to the wastewater system.

D. Termination of Water Service for Violation of Wastewater Rules and Regulations

The Company is authorized to discontinue water service to any person connected to both its water and sewer systems who violates the Company's wastewater terms and conditions as set forth in this PART FOUR or in any way creates a public health hazard or the likelihood of such a public health hazard. This termination authority does not apply to non-payment for water or wastewater services.

II. **RULES AND REGULATIONS**

The Company has adopted the Rules and Regulations established by the Commission as the basis for its operating procedures. A.A.C. R14-2-601 through A.A.C. R14-2-609 will be controlling of Company procedures, unless specifically approved tariffs or Commission Order(s) provide otherwise.

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